

Mr. B. S. Ranoji Rao.—

Is it not necessary to increase the number of non-official members on the Committee from 2 to 4 and that two members of this Assembly are represented on it ?

Second Member of Council.—

The existing constitution of the Committee does not require any change.

By Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar (Bangalore Urban).—

Q.—61. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) (i) whether their attention has been drawn to the Press report appearing in the *Evening Mail* issue for 10th March 1928 in respect of the proposed appointment of Mr. Advani as Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore ;

(ii) if so, what salary is proposed to be offered to the officer ;

(iii) whether they have satisfied themselves that the new officer possesses adequate and intimate knowledge of the local conditions in Mysore, the circumstances which have necessitated the importation of an outsider ; and for what period his services are supposed to be engaged ; and

(iv) when the Department was organised first ; and
(b) to lay on the table (i) a list of names of the successive officers that have held the appointment ; and

(ii) a statement of their technical degrees, business training or experience in the control and management of industrial concerns of any magnitude either in the State or outside or any inherited capacity for organising and administering industrial or commercial enterprise.

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—61. (a) (i) Yes; the appointment will not be made.

(ii) and (iii) Do not arise.

(iv) January 1913.

(b) (i) A statement is appended (Appendix VIII).

(ii) Not possible to furnish the information required.

Supplementary Questions and Answers.

Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar.—

With reference to the reply to Sub-Question (i), will ,

the Government be pleased to state whether at least negotiations were going on in regard to Mr. Advani ?

Second Member of Council.—

Yes.

Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar.—

Was it not possible to give the qualifications asked for in Sub-Question (b) (ii) ?

Second Member of Council.—

It was not possible to furnish particulars like “inherited capacity.”

Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar.—

Why were not at least the other particulars furnished ?

Second Member of Council.—

Most of the particulars asked for are of that nature.

Mr. N. G. Sanjeeviah.—

With reference to the answer that the appointment will not be made, may I know whether it is going to be made at any time in the future ?

Second Member of Council.—

It is not possible to say what will be done or will not be done in future.

BY MR. B. APPAIYANNA, (Sidlaghatta Rural).—

Q.—8. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether they are aware that many of the Muzrai institutions of the State have deteriorated;

(2) whether any steps are taken to renovate them ;

(3) whether it is possible to intimate the names of institutions that have been renovated ;

(4) whether any steps are proposed to be taken in that direction if nothing has been done so far.

FINANCIAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—8. (1) Yes.

(2) Yes. A list of such institutions is obtained